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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

This submission is in response to the Office Action mailed on November 13, 2009. As this Amendment and Response is accompanied by a petition for a one-month extension of time, and as March 13, 2010 fell on a Saturday, this submission is timely filed on March 15, 2010. In view of the amendments and remarks presented herewith, reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this submission.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this submission.